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Reports on Polish and Ukrainian Operations

Reference: WASH 07674

1. The letter quoted below has been received from SMASH, through SMEDDUN.

"We have been making every effort to keep you informed of the progress of our operations in Poland and the Ukraine and hope that the information passed to you has been of some benefit to your Headquarters.

"May we ask once again for greater reciprocity in this matter. In particular we would be grateful for elaboration of the message contained in your letter of September 14th (based on WASH 07674). This stated that one of your operators in the Ukraine, who at the time was cut off from his Headquarters, asked that no further infiltrations should be attempted this year as they would be likely to cause difficulties to those at present inside. We took this message very seriously with the result that it influenced our operational programme to a considerable degree. Without in any way doubting the good faith of your informant we would very much like to have some amplification of his warning and at the same time some further information on the position and prospects of your teams operating in the Ukraine."

2. Broadway's position as expressed above would appear to be reasonable and justified by the past exchange of information on these operations. It is pertinent to add that considerable pressure has been applied on Broadway to extract all information available to them. I believe that we have received what they have. In return, we have passed very little.

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